CONVENTION OF LAYMEN

Delegates Gather in Missionary Movement.

PROMINENT SPEAKERS HERE

Workers of Pulpit and Church to Meet.

ranged for the Convention, Including the Distinguished Mr. Pepper, of Memphis, and Bish-

op Morrison.

Tonight at 8 o'clock the Laymen's Missionary Movement Convention for the Alabama Conferences of the Methodist Church will be discussed by eminent speakers, who are furthering the movement throughout the Southern States. Delegates to the number of 500 from both the Alabama Conferences and the West Florida Conferences will be in attendance upon the sessions of the convention, which will last through Thursday night.

J. R. Pepper, a prominent banker of Memphis, Tenn., and also president of the Laymen's Missionary Movement in the Southern States, will be present and will make the address of the open-ing meeting. Mr. Pepper is well known throughout the whole South, and his address upon the great under-taking of all Christian churches of every denomination to evangelize the world will doubtless more than fill the great auditorium of the Court Street

Methodist Church.

Not ony is Mr. Pepper well known as the president of the Laymen's Movement, but his personality and his work in the Sunday School is also well known. Mr. Pepper is the superintendent of the largest and most thorough Sunday School of the South. The school is that of the First Methodist Church of Memphis.

hurch of Memphis.

Rev. W. W. Pinson, D. D., of Nash-lle, Tenn., will be present during a sessions of the convention and will make an address to the delegates at the morning session on Thursday, Dr. Cinson is one of the Mission Secre-taries of the Methodist Church with

headquarters at Nashville.

Bishop H. C. Morrison, of Birmingham, will be in attendance upon the sessions and will address the meeting on Thursday morning. Bishop Morrison is well known to all Montgomerians, and his address will be listened to with the greatest of interest.

The program arranged for the convention follows:

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Wednesday Evening, May 288:00—Devotional Exercises.
Address of Welcome—Judge W. H.

Thomas.
Response—Dr. W. B. Watkins, of Opelika.

Address—"The Laymen's Missionary To Leo
Movement."—J. R. Pepper, Memphis,
Greenspo

Tenn., President Laymen's Missionary Movement, M. E. Church, South.

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Thursday, May 21.

(Morning Session.)

9:60—Devotional Exercises.

Announcement of Committees.

The Laymen's Missionary Movement in Its Relation to Church Work—(1).

How it May Help the Conference—Rev. J. T. Mangum, Enterprise; (2), How it May Help the District, Mack Featherstone, Greenville; (3), How it May Help the Country Church, Rev. J. F. Price, Clanton; (4), How it May Help the Station Church, Rev. W. W. Pinson, D. D., Missionary Secretary, Nashville Tenn.

11:00—Address—Bishop H. C. More

11:00-Address-Bishop H. C. Mor-"The Quiet Hour"—Rev. W. W. Pin-son, D. D.

Afternoon Session.

2:30—Devotional Exercises.

Report of Committee on Permanent

Study and Prayer as Related to the

Study and Prayer as Related to the Maintenance of Missionary Interest—Thomas S. Davis, Hurtsboro.
Missions As An Investment: Do They Pay?—J. B. Barnett, Monroeville.
Tidings from the Hermit Nation—Rev. J. L. Gerdine, of Korea.
Our Opportunity: Shall We Go Forward?—M. Lightfoot, Brundidge.
Report of Committee on Resolutions.

8:00—Devotional Exercises.
Address—Dev. W. W. Pinson, D. D. Reception by Ladies of the Local Missionary Societies.

STOREKEEPER ON TRIAL FOR FRAUDS

Opelika Case is Up Before the Federal Court.

The trial of Sam C. Dunn, a store-keeper and gauger of the United States in the distillery of S. M. Pankey and Son at Opelika, for a violation of the United States revenue laws, occupied the entire attention of the Federal Court yesterday morning and afternoon. Much technical testimony was taken, and so involved was the question that the case was continued to this

taken, and so involved was the question that the case was continued to this morning when it is hoped that all testimony will be completed.

S. M. Pankey and Son plead guilty to a charge of violating the revenue laws, but their sentence was postponed by the judge until the conclusion of the case against Dunn, their guager and storekeeper. and storekeeper.

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NEWS OF RECORD

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C. L. Hicks and wife to F. J. Cramton, lots 10 and 11, block 1 of the Campbell plat; consideration \$1,000.

F. J. Cramton and wife to A. H. Collier, lot 13, block 5 of the Campbell plat; consideration \$1,175.

E. H. E. Warren and wife to W. B. Jones and Ray, certain parts of lots in the plat of Highland Park; consideration \$3,300.

J. W. Dimmick and wife to I. O. Anderson; certain parts of lots in the

derson; certain parts of lots in the Moses subdivision of the Pollard tract; consideration \$900.

The following marriage license was yesterday issued by the probate judge.

To Leo Sundheimer and Miss Bella

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NEARLY ALL WENT HOME TO VOTE. Judge R. T. Simpson is Universally Popular at the Capitol and Great-est Interest Centered in His

Most of the State officers and their corps of clerks who went to their re-spective homes to vote at the primary have returned to the Capitol and that place will resume its normal aspect to

place will resume its normal aspect today. Probably not in many years has
the Capitol worn such a desterted look
as it presented Monday.
The officials were dropping into the
city yesterday one by one. It is figured
that fully fourfifths of the entire Capitol roster went out of Montgomery to
exercise their suffrange rights.
There was a most peculiar interest

exercise their suffrange rights.

There was a most peculiar interest in the outcome in the race for Supreme Court justices. The election of succescors to Associate Justices R. T. Simpson and Jonathan Haralson distanced all other races in point of interest to the inhabitants of the Statehouse. It was practically conceded that Hon. John H. Wallace, Jr., State Game and Fish Commissioner, would walk away with the race notwithstanding the local support given his opponent, Mr. Mastin. Chairman Charles Henderson of the Railroad Commission, was with out opposition.

out opposition.

The Capitol contingent always has manifested the keenest interest in who will be their assocites in future. There is no doubting, too, that there was a heavy pull among the Statehouse officials and clerks for the return of Justice. tice Simpson to the bench. Justice Simpson, with the end of this year, will have finished out his four years of service to which he was elected, or rather for which he drew lots under the conditions prescribed by the new Constitution accuration to the Turbon constitution of the Turbon constitution. tution equalizing the terms of the Jus

tices.
That Justice Simpson has been very popular in Capitol circles cannot be gainsaid. One of the anxious queries that passed the rounds of the State government officers all day yesterday

was,

"It Justice Simpson elected?" The concensus of opinion semed to be that Justice Simpson should be returned to the bench and interest in the successor of Justice Haralson was divided in many ways. What excited fear among the ffriends of Justice Simpson was the large number of candidates in the field. This no doubt made material inroads on his vote, especially in South Alabama where the personal popularity of others in the race drew from what would have developed into an enthusiastic support of the present incumbent.

The successors of Justices Simpson The successors of Justices Simpson and Haralson will serve six years. That is the constitutionally fixed term of the associate justices. The term of office of the State Game and Fish Cimmissioner is four years. Thus Hon. John H. Wallace, Jr., will have served about a term and a half when his new term will have expired.

A MONUMENT UNVEILED.

Woodmen Participate in Exercises at Centre Star.

Florence, May 19.—(Special.)—Seven lodges participated in the Woodmen of the World unveiling of a monument to deceased Sovereign Oliver Gautney, at Centre Star yesterday.

The unveiling took place at 2 colors

The unveiling took place at 2 o'clock, and there were 200 Woodmen in the procession. John A. Pruitt of Florence, was master of ceremonies, and A. A. Williams of Florence delivered the address.

The poem, "Why Should the Spirit of Mortal Be Proud?" was beautifully recited by 10-year-old Myrtle Marsh of

The lodges represented at the un-veiling were Florence, Sheffield, Tus-cumbia, Brick, Killen, Rogersville and

SCHOOL AT STEWART.

Exercises.
Stewart ,May 19.—(Special.)—Com-

emy at Stewart, took place the first of the week.

Sunday morning at 11 o'clok Dr. S.
M. Hosmer. President of Southern University preached the commencement sermon before a large and appreciative congregation. The sermon was pro-nounced as an able and helpful one. Monday morning at 11 o'clock, Judge James Mayfield of Tuscaloosa, address-ed the school. His speech was a prac-

enjoyed by all. PROGRAM GIVEN OUT **OFFICIALS** RETURN

Monday night there was a prize de-clamation by pupils of the sixth, sev-enth and eighth grades and the pro-gram was splendidly carried out, and the speaking was good. The prizes, were won by Mary Mayfield and Grady Elliott.

Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock an address was delivered by Mr. W. E. W.

address was delivered by Mr. W. E. W. Yerby of Greensboro.

Tuesday night there was a concert in the Academy building. The entertainment was carried out to perfection in every detail not a single error being made in the presentation of the twenty-six different numbers appearing on the program.

At the conclusion of the concert Judge W. E. Christian of Greensboro, made a short and appropriate address to the large audience and was liberally applauded.

much of the business which came before that body was also postponed to next week's meeting—that is, some of the most important items. The usual routine bills and the like were passed as fast as they could be audited.

Jack Thorington and C. G. Zirkle appeared before the Board with the request that a certain portion of road from the Methodist College grounds to the Carter Hill Road be graveled, but as the Board had already agreed to gravel another road, there was not much sympathy for the proposition of Messrs. Thorington and Zirkle. The proposition was not, however, turned down, but was postponed to a future meeting. meeting.
The contract for the furnishing o

gravel for the county's use was dis-cussed for a little while, but it was finally determined to postpone definite action on this matter also.

J D BUTTS DEAD.

End Comes Suddenly to a Citisen of Mississippi.

Columbus, Miss., May 19.—(Special.)

J. D. Butts, a highly respected citizen, died suddenly of apoplexy last

He was going home in his buggy, and upon being seized with an apopiectic stroke, stopped at the house of Mrs. O. B. Shearer, and expired before members of the family could reach

He was 55 years old and leaves three children.

Little Florence Mullins, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Mullins, fell from the roof of a house which is being constructed near her home on South Seventh Street today, and was seriously, though not fatally The breach between Judge Cochrane

the retiring Judge of the Tenth Circuit Court District, has been cemented, and there was a meeting at the court house today at which several lawyers deliv-ered speeches which were excedingly complimentary to the retiring jurist.

Resolutions of a flattering nature were adopted by both the bar and the court officials.

WEDDINGS IN JACKSON.

Good Speakers at the Commencement Misses Hackworth and Gentry Become

Stevenson, May 19 .- (Special.) -- Miss of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hackworth, was of Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford in the Edgefield neighborhood Sunday, Rev. Lewis Morgan officiating.

It was a complete surprise to their

many friends.

Miss Elia May Gentry, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson L. Gentry, was married to W. A. Swindelle of Chattanooga Monday at the home of her parents, Rev. Frank Garder officiating.
Mr. and Mrs. Swindelle left for an

CONGRESS

Washington, May 19 .- The House today again showed its capacity for work and having adjourned this week in mind, continued the cleaning up pro-

The conference report on the legis-lative bill was agreed to and the con-ference reports on the agricultural fortifications appropriation bills were re-ceived; the bill making an appropria-tion of \$1.500,000 for representation by the United States at the Tokio exposi-tion in 1912 was passed, as were also two monibue embadying forty seperate measures having to do with public lands and matters in the territories. Pending a vote on a bill providing for providing for the issuances of leases of public lands in the Panama

canal zone, a recess was taken at 6 p. m. until 11 o'clock tomorrow. Senaje Summary.
Washington, May 19.—A Democratic speech, prepared for circulation in the

coming campaign, was delivered in the Senate by Mr. Taylor of Tennessee. Mr. Taylor devoted his attention chiefly to the tariff and currency policies of the Republican parties, but he also discussed many other issues that will be prominent on the stump next fall. The Senate agreed to the conference report on the agricultural appropriation bill. At 2:10 o'clock the Senate ad-

ATMORE ENTERTAINMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. Johns Give Delightful Reception to Graduates.

Atmore, May 19.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Johns entertained at their hospitable home last evening in nonor of the graduates, Miss Lula Adams and Mr. Charles Peavy. The lower floor was thrown into one and decorated

with paims and ferns, the walls were festooned with garlands of pink roses, while vases of the same beautiful flower were placed throughout the An excellent musical program was rendered by Misses Susye and Pauline Wiggins, Freeman, McCoy, Lucy Johns, and Messrs. Charles Peavy and G. W. Owen. Progressive story telling was

indulged in.

The color scheme of pink and green The color scheme of pink and green was further carried out in the refreshments. The fortunate guests were: Misses Lula Adams, Ella Adams, Susye Wiggins, Lulu Wiggins, Grace Stewart, Julia Meek, Jane Grissett, Annie Freeman, Anne Mae McCoy, Willie McCoy, Dora Smith, Blanche Burson, Dalsy Currie, Roseana Diamond, and Miss Ellsor.

Miss Elisor.

Messrs. Charles Peavy, Nick Reeves,
C. A. Peavy, Frank Peavy, Dee Peavy,
R. A. Adams. Fred Curtis. Hunter
Wiggins, Doctors McMurphy and Bradford. Dewitt McCoy, E. F. Goldsmith,
Hollis Clark, Ralph Clark, Brocks,
Clark, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Owen, Mr.
and Mrs. Kenneth Bruce of New York,
Mn. and Mrs. W. J. Grubbs.

FINE EXERCISES AT CELEBRATION OF DAVIS BIRTHDAY.

ommittee on Arrangements Held An-other Meeting Yesterday and An-nounced Several Speakers and Participants in the Davis Memorial.

Portions of the program of the Davis Memorial Committee who have in hand the arrangement for the celebration of the birthday anniversary of Jefferson Davis. June 3. in this city, were announced yesterday after another meeting of that committee in the Carnegie ling of that committee the the Library. The meeting was well attended and demonstrated the abiding interest that is being taken in this memorial by the representative Confederate organizations of Montgomery.

in the large audience and was liberally applauded.

In behalf of Mr. Oliver Cummings he presented Misses Ethel Martin and Massie Norman gold pens as a slight token of his appreciation of their scholarship and deportment.

At the request of the Board of Trustees, he announced the re-election of Miss Nathan McCondicline of Furman. Wilcox county as principal of Martin Academy for the next session.

Music was furnished for the occasion by a string band composed of the two M'essrs. Stone and Mr. W. S. Jack. It was a delightful feauture of the exercises.

LITTLE BUSINESS DONE

AT ADJOURNED MEETING

Board of Revenue Transacted Some Routine Business.

The postponed meeting of the Board of Revenue took place yesterday, and much of the business which came before that body was also postponed to next week's meeting—that is, some of the most important items. The usual rou-

The following committees were announced by Chairman Thomas M. Owen of the Memorial Committee: Finance

of the Memorial Committee: Finance Committee, John A. Elmore, chairman; Mrs. M. D. Bibb, Mrs. George McCombs, Judge John B. Fuller, Mrs. J. A. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Bell Allen Ross. Committee on Program and Printing, Dr. Thomas M. Owen, chairman; Judge John Purifoy, Mrs. Bibb Graves, Miss Tuccoa Cozart and Capt. A. C. Seyton. A. C. Sexton.

The personnel of the Decoration Com.

mittee has been announced, but the further announcement was made yes-terday that Capt. Paul Sangulnetti had been chosen as an associate member of the committee, it being suggested that he is well fitted for work and sug-

gestions along this line.

For the program on the evening of June 3, Mrs. George W. Harrison was chosen for a song, and for a recitation on this occasion Miss Lena Hausman was chosen by the committee. The services of a quartette will be secured for the evening of June 3.

In the presentation exercises at the ten schools, the songs, "America," and "Dixie," will come in at the beginning and end of the exercises. The addresses on these occasions will be made perhaps by the principals of the schools.

As chairman of the committee for

visiting the Boys' High School, the com-mittee selected Judge John Purifoy, an ex-Confederate. Chairmen of the Committees to wait on the other schools will be later announced. It was announced by Commandant

It was announced by Commandant John A. Elmore that exercises would be held June 3, for the marking of a spot in St. John's Church, of which Davis was a member when he was in Montgomery. The marking will be by a tablet in marble.

Mrs. J. A. Kirkpatrick volunteered for the J. E. B. Stuart Chapter of the Children of the Confederacy the process.

for the J. E. B. Stuart Chapter of the Children or the Confederacy the necessary contribution for the purchase of a picture of Jefferson Davis for the occasion of June 3, and Mrs. B. A. Ross pledged a contribution for the same purpose for the First White House Association. It had previously been aunounced that the other particle organizations have pledged themselves to this zations have pledged themselves to this movement.
Dr. Thomas M. Owen was elected to

preside at the ceremonies on the occapicture to the Carnegie Library on the forenoon of June 3.

Adjournment was taken to meet at

the Carnegie Library at 12 o'clock o

Escapes Jail at Waterloo. Florence, May 19.—(Special.)—Two negro prisoners escaped jail at Wate-loo yesterday just a few hours before the arrival of Sheriff C. W. Young and deputy, who had been sent for to get the negroes and bring them to the Florence jail. The prisoners were Millard Newsome and Will Young. Newsome had been bound over to the grand jury for cutting Young across the ab-domen, and Young was held for the payment of a \$500 fine for attempting

shoot Newsome. All-Day Meeting Held.

Florence, May 19.—(Special.)—An "all-day" meeting was held at Mars Hill yesterday which was attended by F. C. Sowell of Columbia, Tenn., preached and between sermons a basket dinner was served in the grave surrounding the Christian Church.



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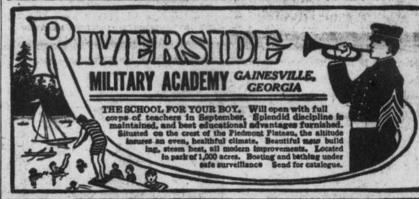
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(8) Latin and Modern Language Course: English (4 years); Latin (4 years); History (4 years); French (2 years); German (2 years); Mathematics (3 years); Physics and Astronomy, Political

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